Ventano Lunch Selections

ANTIPASTI

Grilled Shrimp on the Stone*

½ pound of marinated shrimp served on a sizzling granite stone. \$17.50

Grilled Lamb Chops on the Stone*

Lamb chops served on a sizzling granite stone. \$17.50

Calamari Fritti

Lightly breaded & fried squid, served with Ventano's homemade spicy marinara. \$15.50

Arancine*

Risotto balls stuffed with peas, ground beef and mozzarella cheese, then lightly breaded & fried, served with Ventano's homemade spicy marinara. \$14.50

Bruschetta

Toasted country bread topped with tomato, garlic, basil & parmesan cheese. \$9.00

Funghi Ripieni

Mushroom caps stuffed with seasoned breadcrumbs & baked. \$13.75

Oysters on the Half Shell**

Half-Dozen **\$15.00** Dozen **\$28.00**

Steamed Mussels

Mussels steamed in a tomato & basil sauce or wine, garlic & butter. \$14.50

Steamed Clams

Littleneck clams steamed in a tomato & basil sauce or wine, garlic & butter. \$16.25

Baked Clams

Littleneck clams stuffed with seasoned breadcrumbs & parsley. \$15.00

Antipasto Ventano

Serves 2-4. Platter of fresh marinated & roasted vegetables, cured meats & cheeses. \$20.50

Beef Carpaccio**

Thinly sliced raw beef tenderloin, topped with capers, shaved parmesan cheese then drizzled with EVO and Imported Dijon Mustard. Served with mixed greens.

\$16.50

Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail

Five Jumbo Shrimp with a Cocktail dipping sauce. \$17.00

AL FORNO

Al Forno \$18.00

All dishes below are oven-baked to perfection

Eggplant Parmigiana

Thinly sliced, breaded & sautéed eggplant layered with marinara, parmesan & mozzarella cheeses then oven-baked to perfection.

Eggplant Rollatini

Thinly sliced, breaded eggplant rolled in ricotta cheese. Topped with marinara & mozzarella then oven-baked to perfection.

Ventano Spiedini

Lightly breaded pounded chicken cutlets, rolled and stuffed with parmesan and mozzarella, skewered & sautéed then topped with pomodoro sauce (3 pieces).

Ventano Tortellini*

Cheese tortellini, chicken & mushrooms tossed in pink sauce. Topped with cheese & oven-baked to perfection.

Manicotti

Rolled pasta stuffed with ricotta cheese, topped with marinara & mozzarella then oven-baked to perfection. Paired with a side of Roasted Vegetables.

Homemade Lasagna

Lasagna noodles layered with Ventano's meat sauce & cheeses then oven-baked to perfection.

SIDES

Meatballs (Three) \$8.00 Sausage (Two links) \$9.00 Roasted Vegetables \$8.50 Sauteed Mushrooms \$8.75 Fresh Sauteed Spinach \$9.00 **Grilled Asparagus \$9.75**

ZUPPA & INSALATA

New England Clam Chowder

Creamy chowder with littleneck clams, potato & pancetta. \$12.00

Lobster Bisque*

Creamy lobster soup served in a sourdough bread bowl. \$14.50

Pasta E Fagioli

Traditional pasta, tuscan beans & vegetables in chicken broth. \$9.75

Caesar

Crisp romaine lettuce & roasted garlic croutons tossed in a traditional olive oil, garlic & anchovies dressing, topped with shaved parmesan. \$10.75

Add: chicken \$8 • shrimp \$10 • scallops or salmon \$13

Grilled Heart of Romaine*

Crisp romaine lettuce brushed with olive oil, lightly grilled & topped with caesar dressing, prosciutto & gorgonzola crumbles. \$12.75

Caprese

Vine ripened tomatoes, fresh basil & fresh mozzarella drizzled with extra virgin olive oil, balsalmic reduction. \$12.50

Insalata Classicche

Mixed field greens tossed in Ventano's homemade balsamic vinaigrette. \$9.75

Warm Spinach Salad

Fresh spinach, red onion & mushrooms tossed in Ventano's warm bacon dressing & topped with chopped hard-boiled egg. \$13.75

Chopped Salad

Grilled zucchini, bell peppers, artichoke, eggplant, mushrooms, salami, mozzarella cheese, marinated tomato, with your choice of dressing - ranch, blue cheese or balsamic vinaigrette. \$20.50

LE PASTE

Le Paste \$17.50

100% Whole wheat pasta or gluten free pasta available upon request. Please allow extra time for preparation.

Spaghetti alla Bolognese

Spaghetti with Ventano's homemade meat sauce.

Spaghetti alla Puttanesca

Spaghetti with fresh tomatoes, basil, capers, anchovy & olives.

Spaghetti alla Carbonara

Spaghetti tossed with pancetta, eggs & parmesan cheese.

Rigatoni Portofino*

Rigatoni with pink sauce, ham, peas, mushrooms & onions. **Gnocchi Con Pesto**

Light potato dumplings, tossed with basil sauce & pine nuts.

Capellini alla Pomodoro

Angel hair pasta tossed in a tomato sauce with oilve oil, basil and minced onions.

Linguine alla Vongole

Littleneck clams & linguine pasta with your choice of zesty red or white sauce.

Linguine Con Scampi Fra Diavolo

Shrimp & linguine pasta in Ventano's spicy marinara.

Pennette Arrabiata

Penne pasta in Ventano's spicy marinara with pancetta.

Cheese Tortellini

Tortellini filled with cheese & served with your choice of pomodoro, alfredo or pesto sauce.

Fettuccine Con Funghi

Fettuccine pasta with shrimp & porcini mushrooms in pink sauce.

Fettuccine Alfredo

Fettuccine pasta tossed in a cream & parmesan cheese sauce. With Chicken \$25.00. With Shrimp \$27.00

Cheese Ravioli

Ravioli filled with cheese & served with your choice of pomodoro, alfredo, bolognese, pink or pesto sauce.

20% Gratuity added to parties of 5 or more.

A 3.5% Credit Card use Surcharge added to all Credit Card Transactions

SANDWICHES & WRAPS

Sandwiches & Wraps \$15.00

All sandwiches and wraps come with your choice of pasta salad, gorgonzola coleslaw or fries. Mayonnaise available upon request.

Meatball Hero

Mozzarella cheese, marinara sauce

Sausage, Peppers & Onions

Mozzarella cheese, marinara sauce

Philly Steak

Onions, peppers, mozzarella cheese

Grilled Chicken

Field greens, tomato, onion, caesar dressing

Salmon

Tomato, field greens, olives, onions, caesar dressing

Tuna

Field greens, olives, onions, tomato, red wine vinegar

Chicken Parmigiana

Mozzarella cheese, marinara

Blackened Salmon

Mixed field greens, tomato, olive, onion, wasabi aioli

Pizzas

Pizzas \$14.00 12" Slow baked in our oven.

Pizza toppings \$1.50 For each selection: chicken, spinach, mushroom, sausage, pepperoni, artichoke, fresh garlic, extra cheese, tomato, onion, kalamata olives, anchovy, meatball, ham.

Pepperoni

Pepperoni, mozzarella, marinara

White Pizza

and vegan mozzarella available upon Ricotta, mozzarella, alfredo sauce reauest.

Gluten free

pizza crust

Vegetarian Tomato, mushrooms, artichoke, spinach, onion

Margarita

Tomato, fresh mozzarella, basil.

Traditional Calzone \$17.00 Ricotta, mozzarella & ham. Allow 20min. cooking time.

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Please select:

Chicken \$19.75 • Shrimp \$21.00 • Veal \$23.50

All Dishes come with Linguini Pasta with the same sauce as your chosen preparation.

Parmigiana

Lightly breaded, with marinara & mozzarella, then baked.

Scaloppini

Sauteed with onions, mushrooms, white wine & tomatoes.

Marsala

Sauteed with mushrooms & marsala wine.

Francese

Coated in egg batter & parmesan, lightly sauteed and topped with lemon butter sauce.

Picatta

Capers & lemon white wine sauce.

SEAFOOD SPECIALTIES

Filetto Di Salmon

Grilled fillet of salmon paired with sauteed zucchini & a halved oven roasted half tomato. \$25.00

Shrimp Scampi

Jumbo shrimp sautéed in a lemon butter sauce paired with risotto, sautéed asparagus and a halved oven roasted tomato. \$21.00

Lobster Ravioli

Blackened shrimp, asparagus, pink sauce. \$23.00

*Ventano Specialty **Eating Raw or Uncooked Meat, Poultry, Seafood or Dairy Products May Cause Illness. No Split Checks. We will gladly accept multiple forms of payment.